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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Room TWB-204
Washington D.C. 20554
(filed electronically)

Re: Ex Parte Presentation
In the Matter Of: Communications Assistance for Law Enforcement Act
CC Docket No. 97-213

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules,¹ this letter is to advise the Commission that on July 20, 2001, representatives of law enforcement met with several Commissioners and their representatives to discuss the above-referenced matter.

State and local law enforcement representatives present included Sergeant Michael Mathis of the Chattanooga Police Department, Detective Mike May of the Connecticut State Police, Detective Sergeant Bruce Lamparello of the Hudson County Prosecutor's Office, Jim Thigpen, Coordinator of the Los Angeles County Regional Criminal Information Clearinghouse and Detective John Primiano of the Nassau County Police Department.

Present from the Federal Bureau of Investigation's CALEA Implementation Section were FBI personnel Leslie M. Szwajkowski, Hal G. Metcalfe, Jon D. Pifer and John F. Cox III. Also present was CIS contractor Dawn Dohrmann.

Commissioners and representatives present at the meetings included: Peter Tenhula, Office of Chairman Powell; Allan Parr, Office of Chairman Powell; Julius Knapp, Office of Engineering and Technology; Commissioner Abernathy; Kathy Hilke, Office of Commissioner Abernathy; Commissioner Copps; Lauren Maxim Van Wazer, Office of Commissioner Copps; and Commissioner Martin.

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

The parties discussed the September 30, 2001, deadline for carriers to implement the existing packet mode surveillance provisions of J-STD-025. The law enforcement representatives urged the Commission not to extend this compliance deadline.

With regard to punch list capabilities, the law enforcement representatives emphasized the need for the punch list capabilities and urged the Commission to act on the remand issues as quickly as possible. In the event the Commission decided to extend the current September 30, 2001, deadline, the law enforcement representatives expressed a strong preference that the extension be brief and that the Commission set a date certain for compliance with all of the punch list capabilities rather than suspending compliance indefinitely pending completion of the remand proceeding.

Any questions regarding this notice should be addressed to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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Unit Chief
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